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The Honorable Joel Hefley
Chairman, Subcommittee on
Readiness
Committee on Armed Services
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

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Dear Mr. Chairman:

The Missile Defense Agency intends to execute the following facility project using Unspecified Minor Construction funds:

Missile Assembly Facility (MAF) Addition, White Sands Missile Range, New Mexico, for \$1,220,000. This project will construct an 8,600 square foot missile transit corridor addition to the existing MAF and upgrade several electrical systems to support build-up and testing of the Standard Missile-3.

This project directly supports the Ballistic Missile Defense System's flight test activities. Similar notifications have been sent to all appropriate congressional committees.

Please refer questions concerning this matter to Ms. Pamela Bain, Director of Legislative Affairs, at (703) 695-8520.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Ronald T. Kadish", is positioned above the printed name.

RONALD T. KADISH
Lieutenant General, USAF
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cc:

The Honorable Solomon Ortiz
Ranking Member